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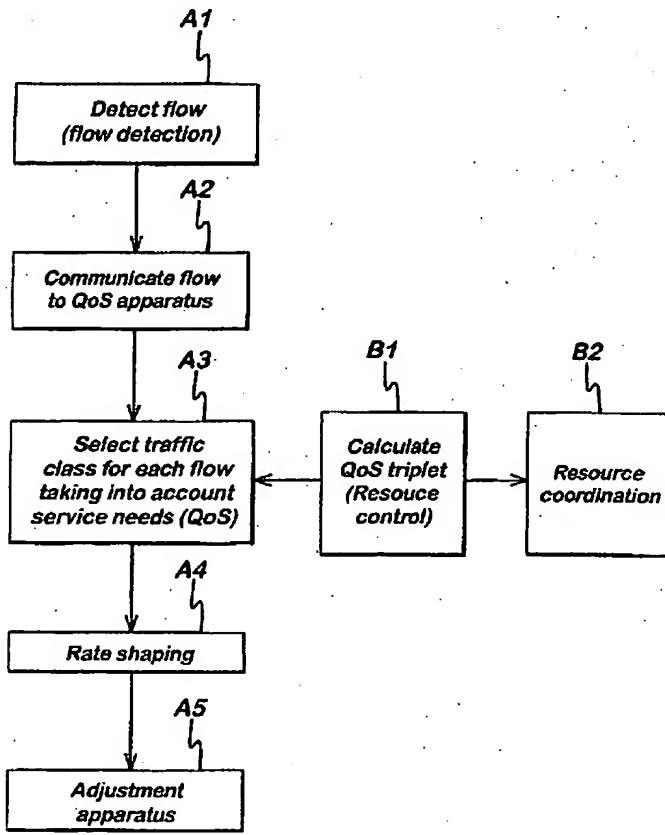
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**(57) Abstract:** A communications system comprising at least one user equipment, at least one resource node arranged to manage resource for communication with said at least one user equipment, at least one managing node for managing traffic flow, wherein said at least one resource node and said at least one managing node are arranged so that information is passed between at least one resource node and at least one managing node, said at least one managing node selecting at least one parameter for a new traffic flow based on said information.